MUSSOLINI GREETS ITALIAN-AMERICANS

Sends Message on Occasion of Anniversary of Victory Over Austrians.

COUNTRY CELEBRATES

Premier, Cabinet, King and Diplomatic Corps Attend Mass.

WOULD ALTER ELECTIONS

New Government Desirous of Calling for Vote Whenever Convenient.

Rome, Nov. 4 (Associated Press).— Premier Mussolini sent to-day through the Associated Press the following message to the Italians in America:

"On the fourth anniversary of our victory it gives me pleasure to send a message of good wishes to all Italians living in North America. As the youths who returned victorious from the trenches bound themselves together like the fasces of the Roman victors, succeeding in giving the nation a rhythm of life worthy of the victory gained, so must you join in the name of Italy in ideal bonds expressing all your strength and making felt with adequate energy the virtues of the Italian people, even outside the

boundaries of your country.
"Thus united, you will cooperate with greater alacrity not only in your own prosperity but in that of the noble nation extending you hospitality, of which you are not a negligible element of value. Italy rose from the victory of Vitorio Veneto greater and more august. This re ewed consciousness should make you proud to be Italians, make you exalt everywhere the name of Italy.
"Viva Italy! Viva America!"

The fourth anniversary of Italy's victory over Austria was celebrated to-day. King Victor Emmanuel, Premier Mussolini and his suite attended a solemn mass in the church of Santa Maria degli Angeli. They then visited the tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

First Official Celebration.

It was the first time that the day of victory had been officially and publicly celebrated. When Mussolini arrived at the church he was greeted by the rector and high officials of state. When the and high officials of state. When the King, in his gray-green field uniform, arrived with his aid, his car was stopped by Mussolini with a great gesture. Then both read the inscription above the church door:

"The King, the Government and the people plously commemorate the Unknown Soldier and all the glorious dead, wishing for the mother country happiness in the future."

The Fascista leader then took the King to 'he place reserved for him within the church and took his own post beside the members of the court and the Government.

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From the church the King, the Premier, Gen. Diaz, Minister of War: Admiral Thaon di Revel, Minister of Marine, and others drove through the Via Nazional, to the monument of Victor Emmanue. I. The King and the officials mounted to the altar of the mother country, while the immense square below was black with a silent crowd. The scene was extremely picturesque and the moment tense with emotion.

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The historic bell on the capital was the first to break the silence, then every other bell in Rome joined in until the air rang. As the Kirg and Premier Mussolini knelt, the people also, perfect silence prevailed.

Immediately the ceremony was over the bronze gates before the monument were opened and thousands of people widows, mothers wearing the decorations of their sons and maimed soldiers, thronged up the steps to pay homage to the fighting spirit of their race, covering the tomb of the Unknown Soldier under a profusion of flowers and garlands.

The Parliamentary Program.

The first bill to be presented by Pre-mier Mussolini at the reopening of Par-liament on Novembar 16 will be the provisional financial budget, giving the

provisional financial budget, giving the Government money to carry on until July, 1923. The next measure will b for modification of the electoral law giving the Government freedom to hold general elections.

Signor de Vecchi, the Under Secretary of Pensions, has expressed the intention of presenting a bill modifying the pensions law to exclude deserters.

Premier Mussolini has addressed a circular to all Italian representatives abroad, exacting that none of them shall ever grant interviews or publish statements without previous authorization from the Government. He has ordered all diplomatists now in Italy to return immediately to their posts, reminding them that their jobs are abroad and not

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in Rome.

To-day Count Sforza, the Italian Ambassador to Paris, is expected here for a conference with the Premier.

Three persons were seriously wounded during an attack on Fascisti at Adria yesterday, the Messaggero states. The Fascisti wrecked the Socialist club interior, but later turned it over to the authorities. Three persons were killed, the newspaper adds, during disturbances in Catanila.

Catania.

Paris, Nov. 4.—The tactics of the Fasicisti, which heretofor, have overcome all obstacles with amazing swiftness, are reported to be striking a few snags. Conflict with the Soviet Government is feared as a result of a raid which dispatches to Paris say was made yesterday upon the Rome bureau of the Russian commercial delegation by seven Fascisti from Imola. Rushing into the offices the Fascisti dragged out an allen employe, posted him against a wall and shot him.

A dispatch from Chiasso, near the Italian frontier, to the Matin says that the Socialists in Italy have issued a manifesto to the country declaring they have nothing to fear from Fascismo.

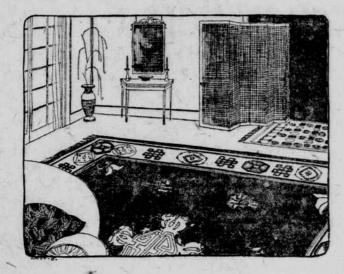
POTATO GROWING RECORD.

London, Nov. 4.—What is claimed to be a world's record in potato growing is reported from likerton. In the pres-ence of a large number of people a farmer named F. Peel weighed potatoes totaling 324 pounds and six comecs, all of which was produced from one pound of seed.

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A stock of blankets and comforters worth more than \$30,000 at values which cannot be duplicated in the present market. The blankets were purchased when raw wool was selling at about half its present cost. Many special values, three of which are presented here.

English Cambric Down Comforters \$19.50—Figured cambric covers with plain borders to match the figured centers, the colors being rose or Copenhagen. A fine quality stemless down forms the fillings. Only a limited quantity are available. Priced slightly more than bare importation cost.

All Silk Satin Comforter \$22.95-A fleecy pure wool filling makes this comforter wonderfully warm and yet light in weight. The satin covering is handsomely stitched. In rich tones of Copenhagen, rose, gold or lavender.

All Wool Plaid Blankets \$8.50 a pair—An all virgin wool blanket in attractive plaids. The texture is soft and pliable, and the edges are finished with a three inch ribbon of harmonizing color. Black and white plaid makes a striking combination, while other color effects are to be had in blue, pink, tan, lavender, grey and red. 66x80 inches. Weight 41/2 lbs.

SECOND FLOOR

Modish Three-Piece Suits \$135

"The three-piece suit," according to our latest Paris report,"is the costume most seen at present." Lord & Taylor offers a group of excellent three-piece suits at \$135: a bloused model, two box coat models. Tailored of gerona, a soft winter coating which affords ample warmth for the entire season's wear; collared and cuffed with black fox or kit fox; frock top of georgette or crepe silk; black, brown or kit fox.

The Side Forward Movement Proves the Parisian Origin of

Velvet Afternoon Gowns \$79.50

Flat across the back as the season requires, then gathering impetus at the left side and finally centering interest just a little off center with a wide godet and circular movement. This is the story, briefly told, of the velvet gown. Being a faithful copy of an import, it adds further details such as inserts of red Romaine crepe, flat bands of self trimming and cuffs flaring from elbow, lined with red. One of many velvet gowns, \$59.50; up to \$250

Lortay Corsets for 1922-1923

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Do you like a supple step-in of surgical elastic and brocheor a front lace style of satin with elastic girdle top-or one of suede cloth, lacing in the back and slightly higher at the top? You will find all these styles and materials and many more as well in the Lortay corsets for fall and winter. Every figure can be correctly fitted with a Lortay. Every gown will fit more smoothly over a Lortay.

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Imitation Fur Fabrics

In Smartest Coats, Suits and Dresses

"Imitation fur fabrics," writes our Paris correspondent, "are worn at the races by smartly dressed women in costumes created by the Grandes Maisons."

Lord & Taylor offers coats, suits and tailored coat dresses of lustrous caracul cloth or smart American broadtail cloth.

For Women

Bloused coat, top of caracul cloth, skirt section of fashona, fox collars and cuffs, \$185

Caracul cloth coat, outlined down front around hemline and at collars and cuffs with black fox, \$295

Caracul cloth coat with fox collar and cuffs, \$135

Caracul cloth coat with fox collar, \$89.50

Three-piece suit of caracul cloth, bloused jacquette ties at hipline, collared with chinchinola; costume has blue crepe silk top embroidered with metal thread, \$135

Broadtail cloth coat dress, draped at side, \$95

Broadtail cloth coat dress with novelty red leather belt echoed in flame vestie, \$95

For Misses

Three-piece suit of broadtail cloth, jacquette style, trimmed with fox, top of costume embroidered with gold thread, \$125

Coat dress of American broadtail, combined with bloused top of henna or leather duvetyne, \$59.50

Jacquette of broadtail, trimmed with kit fox, \$165

THIRD FLOOR

Silks and Satins

Colored Crepe de Chine-Charming colors in this lustrous fabric, a firm, heavy quality. 40 inches wide. \$1.95 yard.

Colored Canton Crepe - A firm, close knit weave in subdued shades and high colors! 40 inches wide. \$2.95 yard.

Colored Satin Canton - A cloth with a dual finish, one face having a satin finish of high lustre, the other face in dull tones. Soft tones of peach and lavender as well as more brilliant shades. 40 inches wide. \$3.95 yard.

GROUND FLOOR

Laces for Bertha Collars

No gown is smarter this season - nor more becoming - than one finished with a deep graceful bertha collar. And no collar is so exquisite as one of lovely, finely woven lace.

Chantilly, Venise, Boheme, Margot are among the laces in our collection. Colors, include black, cream and white, \$1.25, \$4.95 yard

Metal laces are gold or silver, \$1.75 to \$3.50 yard. GROUND FLOOR

Quilted Robes

Crepe back satin, lamb's wool and China silk combine to make this quilted robe welcome on chill evenings and frosty mornings. The China silk lining affords a delicate color contrast to the warm

shades of the satin. \$23.50

A two-tone satin robe with smart square sleeves ended by intriguing tassels. In colors to suit the individual taste. \$23.50

Persian effects distinguish these negligees in multi-colored novelty silks. In combinations of navy, and black. \$18.75

Silk Underthings

Radium Silk Lingerie comes in delicate orchid and flesh tones. An ideal material which stands washing well and has good lasting qualities.

Nightgowns, tailored or lace-trimmed, \$4.95 and \$5.95

Vest and Drawers to match, both tailored and lace trimmed, \$2.95 each.

Bloomers \$2.95 and \$3.95

SECOND FLOOR



Fur Coats

For Motoring

Slip into a fur coat, step into the motor, and you are off into the open country where October still lingers on the hillsides. There's warmth and a certain dash of smartness to be had in a natural

muskrat coat with a raccoon collar that envelops the throat. Or for those who favor a shaggy, springy coat, there is the raccoon skin with bushy collars and cuffs also of 'coon

Fur Coats for sports wear, be it playing football from the stands or exploring back roads with the motor. In furs for every temperament and complexion, including marmot, leopard cat, and the two lambs, grey and tan. At prices as appealing as the coats themselves.

FOURTH FLOOR



Mode of Pumps

The Avenue reflects nature at this season in its penchant for browns and russets. Pumps harmonize with this mood, brown satin and bronze kid predominating

Cross Strap Pumps. The straps lend a touch of smartness in addition to their utilitarian support of the instep. In brown satin \$10.75. In bronze kid \$12.75

Colonials designed for walking, their high cut sides affording support. In brown satin, \$10.75. In bronze kid \$12.75

Opera Pumps in brown satin, distinctive in their simplicity. Buckles may be added or they may be worn unadorned. \$9.75 SECOND FLOOR



Reynier Gloves

For the Woman of Exacting Taste

Reynier gloves from France represent the perfection of the glovemakers' art. They are noted, not only for their permanent softness but for their fit and workmanship as well. Our stock is so

complete that you may now find a Reynier for every occasion. 2 clasp pique sewn Reynier glace gloves, \$3.50. 3 clasp overseam sewn Reynier glace gloves, \$3. 8 button Reynier suede gloves, \$5.50. 12 button Reynier suede and glace gloves, \$6 and \$6.50. 16 button Reynier suede and glace gloves, \$8 and \$8.50. 20 button Reynier glace gloves, \$13.50. 24 button Reynier glace gloves, \$15

GROUND FLOOR

Perfumes from Italy

Quite new in fragrance and engagingly boxed are the Giviemme perfumes which Milanese ladies long have prized. Dimmi Di Si (Tell me yes) is a graceful slender bottle with jet stopper, La Rosa, Subdola, Malia and Contessa Azzurra are equally original and charm-

ing. 2 oz. bottles \$8.25 and \$9

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